



### **Beaver Trapping Permit**

FEE: \$0

Under Massachusetts General Law Chapter 131, sec. 80A, you are hereby granted a 10 (ten) day PERMIT TO TRAP BEAVER.

NAME OF APPLICANT: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Health Threat: \_\_\_\_\_

The Board of Health has conducted an inspection of the above referenced property and found that a beaver dam(s) has caused the water to rise to a level that will impact the subsurface sewage disposal system and the private water supply well and may cause imminent threat to public health and safety. This permit gives the applicant permission to trap beaver within the boundaries of the above referenced property. PLEASE NOTE THAT TRAPPERS MUST BE LICENSED BY THE STATE DIVISION OF FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE, AND ANY BEAVER TRAPPING OUTSIDE THE REGULAR TRAPPING SEASON REQUIRES SPECIAL PERMITS FROM DFW. ALL LAWS AND REGULATIONS REGARDING TRAPPING APPLY. **This permit to trap expires on \_\_\_\_\_.**

The applicant may also choose to construct water flow devices or breach the beaver dam. This ten-day permit is subject to approval of the local Conservation Commission and only allowed if said work is done within the boundaries of the property. PLEASE NOTE THAT UNAUTHORIZED BREACHES CAN BE PUNISHABLE UNDER THE STATE WETLANDS PROTECTION ACT BY A FINE OF UP TO \$25,000 PER DAY PLUS DAMAGES.

Cc: Conservation Commission

John Schneider, Chairperson

Mary Hull

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